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FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Proceedings of the Senate and House Yesterday.

The Bond Investigation Resolution Occupled the Attention of the Former Most of the Day, Mr. Hill and Mr. Pettigrew Doing Most of the Talking. The House Votes Overwhelmingly for Four Battleships.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- Senator Hill added another day in opposition to the gations. bond resolution in the Senate to-day. Early in the day Mr. Pfeffer announced that he would seek to force a vote tonight by holding the Senate in session until the resolution was disposed of. It was evident, however, that Senators were not disposed to submit to the hardships of a protracted session and Mr. Pfeffer did not carry out his announced purpose.

Mr. Pettigrew (Rep., S. D.) supported the bond resolution and severly criticised the administration of the Treasury. The Senator also criticised Mr. Sherman for his recent approval of the Treasury administration.

Some progress was made on the river and harbor bill by taking it up in the morning hour.

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Mr. Hill in speaking in opposition to the bond resolution, said he was endeavoring to prevent the Senate from making itself ridiculous. It did that often enough, he added. This resolution called for facts that were already reported to the Senate. Why, therefore, should Senators aubmit to this "ignoramus?" To be sure, said Mr. Hill, there is no law against Senators making fools of themselves, but they ought not to do it ne dlessly by this "foolish, contemptible, absurd resolution."

"If you can's comprehend reports already made then resign your seats," he said savegely.

said savagely.
Mr. Hill declared that this was a mr. Hill declared that this was a move to manufacture campaign material on the eve of a Presidential election. The Senator yielded long enough to permit Mr. Gordon to give notice of an amendment to the pending resolution, providing that the inquiry into bond issues be conducted by the Senate finance committee instead of by a special committee of five Senators, as originally proposed.

proposed.

Mr. Hill yielded the floor temporarily to Mr. Pettigrew (Rep., S. D.), for a speech on tariff and finance.

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The speech was a succinct record of Government transactions for the last five years. Mr. Pettigrew asserted his belief that recent financial scares had been purposely worked up by the present administration in order to force Congress to pass administration measures and after that to compel financial transactions "to enrich the favorites of the President if not the President himself."

President himself."

Mr. Pettigrew also criticised Mr. Sherman for his recent tribute to the Treasury administration.

"Who is more competent to express such a tribute?" asked Mr. Hill, "than the distinguished Senator from Ohio, himself a Secretary of the Treasury?"

Mr. Allison asked when a vote on the bond resolution could be expected.

"Certainly to-morrow," answered Mr. Pfeffer.

Pfeffer.
"Then let a time be fixed for the

vote," said Mr. Allison.

Mr. Hill was quickly on his feet again. "It will be impossible," he remarked smilingly, "to fix a date now for a vote." At 6 o'clock the Senate adjourned.

House Proceedings.

The opponents of four battleships sustained an overwhelming defeat in the House to-day on the proposition to accept the Senate amendment to the

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naval appropriation bill, reducing the number to two. Mr. Sayers made the motion, and supported his plea for economy with figures as to the condition of the Treasury for the next fiscal

THE LIGHT QUESTION UP AGAIN

the reasons why his company refused to sign the contract proposed by the city. Mr. McCahan stated that the contract was prepared by a representative of the city and not by his company refused to sign the reasons why his company refused to sign the contract was prepared by a representative of the city and not by his company refused to sign the contract proposed by the city.

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Mr. Cannon, the chairman of the appropriations committee, ably seconded Mr. Sayers. He appealed to his side of the House, declaring the appropriations of this Congress would mortgage the future revenues of the Government \$100,000,000, and that inasmuch as the next Congress could not write a new revenue bill on the statute books inside of eighteen months, money would have to be borrowed by the incoming Republican administration to meet these obligations.

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These figures, however, did not terrify the House, and after some pertinent remarks by Mr. Bouselle calling attention to the humilisting spectacle the country would present in view of the present foreign complications if poverty were pleaded as a reason for reducing the number of battleships, and some remarks by Mr. Cummings urging the propriety of standing firm against the Senate, voted 141 to 81 to non-concur in the Senate amendments. The bill was sent to conference.

A special order was adopted to set tomorrow and Wednesday, the 13th, for the consideration of private penalon bills, ten minutes' debate to be given to each bill. The rule limited the debate on each bill to ten minutes. It was explained that there were 405 bills on the calendar undisposed of, and that it had been deemed wise to give the House an opportunity to act upon them.

Mr. Crisp (Dem., Ga.) contended that no bill could be intelligently considered in ten minutes. Mr. Loud (Rep., Cal.) also opposed the adoption of the order. The claims of the old soldiers, he said, were not so sacred as to justify their passage without consideration.

Mr. Henderson said that when the mailed hand of the administration was held above the interests of the old soldier, special legislation was needed. If ten hours were allowed for debate on each bill, Demorratic tongues, charged with venom and gall, would be found to consume it.

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Mr. Crisp chided Mr. Henderson for the heat he had displayed and after some sparring the vote was taken by yeas and nays and the order was adopted 172 to 56

The Democrats who voted for the order were Messrs. Cummings, of New York; Downing, Illinois; Dayton, of Ohio; Sorg, of Ohio, and Sulzer, of New York

York.

Mr. Loud, of California, and Mr.
Settle, of North Carolina, were the
only Republicans who voted against the

THE WASHINGTON MURDER.

Several Negroes Arrested on Suspicion, But no Definite Clues Found.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The police authorities so far have failed to locate the murderer of Elsie Kreglo, the 16-year-old girl, whose murder by a negro fiend in the woods beyond the city limits yesterday afternoon has startled all Washington.

ington.

Four negroes were arrested to day.
One of them is held as a winees and the other three on suspicion. The evidence against the latter, however, is far from

against the latter, however, is far from strong.

It rests almost entirely on the fact that they were out all night and that their clothes when taken into custody were damp as though they might have been washed in an attempt to cleans them of blood stains. The police are making a vigorous search of the surrounding country and hunting for slues, but the murderer, who probably was familiar with the scene of the shocking tragedy, chose his route well and no

familiar with the scene of the shocking tragedy, chose his route well and no important clues have yet been found.

The coroner's inquest to-day proved that the negro had attempted a criminal assault, but failed to accomplish his purpose. Four severe cuts on the left side of the neck were shown to have been inflicted with a dull instrument. One of these was a deep gash, after which the girl could not have lived five minutes. Several winesses were examined, among them Jos. P. Hamilton, who worked the farm on shares with the girl's father. He said he was ploughing in a field not faraway.

Men deep who was in the chart at the time, ruled that under the laws of the city it required fifteen votes to pass such resolutions.

On recommendation of the sewer committee the Calvary Baptist Church was granted permission to construct a sewer in the rear of their church to connect with the Rorer avenue sewer, the city to reimburse the church to connect with the Rorer avenue sewer, the city to reimburse the church for the cost less the amount of the regular assessment.

Six bids were reported by the committee for constructing a line of sewers on Randolph street and Church avenue s. e. and referred to the sewer committee for report.

he was ploughing in a field not far away when he heard the cries. Police are following closely the movements of Joseph Saunders, one of the negroes under arrest. He refused to give an account of himself and at first declined to take the oath at the inquest. His actions, however, are thought to be due to mental troubles. The police ad-mit that the arrests made are merely on suspicion.

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To Prohibit Gifts or Prizes.

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WASHINGTON, May 5.—Representative Cummings, of New York, to-day introduced a bill to prohibit the offaring of gifts or prizes in connection with chewing or smoking tobacco or cigarettes. It is made unlawful to brand or mark these articles with a promise of this kind, or to place in a package in which they are contained a certificate offering a prize, gift, premium or reconstruction. offering a prize, gift, premium or re-

Trial of a Negro Preacher. CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., May 5.—Rev. William Nelson, charged with the murder of young Thomas Thompson and the burning of White's store, was placed on trial in the county court. Taylor Harmon has been convicted and two others are under indictment.

Board of Fortifications. OLD POINT COMFORT, Va., May 5 - The Government board of fortifications was in session at Chamberlin's Hotel here

to-day, General Miles presiding. X Rays.

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The Council Will Not Pay For City Lighting

Until a Contract is Entered Into-Will the Lights Be Turned Off?-The City En giueer Reports—The Courthouse Forced by Free Silverites-Reports From the Committee on Finance and Committee on Accounts-Sewer at Calvary Paptist Church-Market Stalls Rented-Judge's

Seventeen members attended the regular meeting of Council last night, the only members absent being Messrs. Bachman, Oney and Starkey.

The city engineer submitted his monthly report, showing in detail the work done in his department and recommending that the macadamized streets be looked after and improved before they run down; also that the lot re-cently purchased at the city stables be

cently purchased at the city stables be fenced in, which was referred to appropriate committees.

The city engineer also called attention of Council to the fact that certain parties forced an entrance to the courthouse last Saturday night for the purpose of forming a political organization (a free silver club) without getting permission, and asked that steps be taken to prevent a repetition of a like occurrence. The matter was referred to the public property committee.

Mr. McClelland, from the committee on finance, reported monthly statements from the auditor and treasurer, and also a resolution supplementing certain accounts to the amount of \$4,544.45. On motion of Dr. Coulbourn the resolution was amended by appropriating \$350 for the purpose of working the chain gang. The resolution as amended was then adopted after some discussion.

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Mr. Terry, from the committee on accounts, reported bills approved, amounting to \$7,216 12, which were ordered paid. His committee also reported that the salary of the judge of the court had not been approved, owing to the fact that the committee had not received a reply to their letter from the solicitor, as to when the term of office of the judge began, at which time his salary was to be fixed \$1,800, as per a resolution of Council. Mr. Fox handed in a letter from the city solicitor, stating that the term of the judge began January 1, 1897, and the account was then approved.

Mr. Loughery, from the committee on streets, reported a resolution declining to accept the proposition of W. S. Mc-Clanahan to settle claim for damages for cutting a tree on his property at \$800. The resolution was adopted.

The street committee also reported on the claim of M. O. Wilmeth for damages by reason of the encroachment of Franklin road on her property, which was referred back to the committee to enferred back to t

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the city and Mrs. Wilmeth.

The committee also reported a resolution directing that the city solicitor
prepare deeds to open Chestnut street
and directing that \$290 be expended for
this purpose, to be paid out of the street
bond account; and that the city engineer have the street opened to its
proper width. The resolution was rejected by a vote of 11 syes, 6 noes. Mr.
Boehm and other friends of the resolution contended that it was carried, but
Mr. Terry, who was in the chair at the
time, ruled that under the laws of the
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such resolutions.

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Mr. Mays, from the committee on public property, reported that the market stalls had been rented out ac-

market stalls had been rented out according to law, and gave statement of the amount each stall rented for.

Mr. Boehm, from the committee on lights, reported the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the clerk of Council be and is hereby directed to notify the Rosnoke Electric Light and Power Company that the city of Rosnoke has declined to enter into the contract proposed and submitted by said company, and that no lights will be paid for after this date until a contract is entered into this date until a contract is entered into therefor."

The city solicitor, Mr. Glasgow, was present and stated that he had prepared the resolution and believed that pared the resolution and believed that it ought to pass. The company had declined to make any concessions in regard to a new contract. The city had proposed that the word "light" inserted, but this was not agreeable. S. W. Jamison, an officer of the company, had stated to him and the committee that his company was not bound to that his company was not bound to furnish 2,000 candle power "light;" that the contract called for 2,000 candle power "lamp," and that was the kind of lamp they put up and then put the best current they could through it. He thought the matter ought to be brought to an issue at once.

G. C. McCahan, secretary of the company, was present, and at the request

pany, was present, and at the request of Mr. Buckner, made a statement as to

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Mr. McCahan stated that the contract was prepared by a representative of the city and not by his company, and it was not in accordance with the terms of the old contract; that it called for lights instead of lamps. Mr. Buckner then asked if the city was not entitled to 3,000 candle power lamps. Mr. McCahan thought it was. Mr. Buckner stated that the company was to furnish what they were paid for.

The resolution was adopted by unanimous vote. The clerk also read a bond submitted by the company giving surety for the performance of the contract for lighting the city, which was rejected by Quancil and referred back to the company.

Council and referred back to the com-plany.

On motion of Mr. Guy the light com-mittee was instructed to receive bids for lighting the city.

Several communications were read and referred to proper committees.

Council then adjourned.

A CINCINNATI SENSATION.

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Meported Desire of a Catholic Priest and Congregation to Become Methodists.
CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 5.—A profound sensation has arisen in the Church of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Independent Catholic), which was organized in this city about three years ago and has been presided over by Father A. F. Kolaszewski.
Father Kolaszewski and his 3,000 Polish parishioners desire to ally themselves with the Methodist Episcopal Church. Although Father Kolaszewski refuses to say anything whatever concerning the action, the statement as to his desiring to ally himself with the M. E. Church is verified by Chaplain C. C. McCabe, of the Methodist general conference. In speaking of the matter the chaplain says:

"Yes, it is true that the priest does desire to ally himself with the Methodist Church. He not only wishes to come to the Methodist Church, but the 3,000 Poles comprising his congregation as well. They do not believe in the infallibility of the pope and transubstantiation any longer. They are becoming more and more educated all the time, and as people are enlightened they do not believe these fallacies. Many thousand Poles are going to join the Methodist Church."

Father Kolazzewski when questioned about the matter said: "Nothing has been done in that matter yet, and there is nothing to be said at this time. I prefer not to discuss it"

POKEY BARNES RELEASED

Nolle Prosequi Entered in Her Case.

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Dissatisfaction at the Outcome.

FARNVILLE, Va., May 5—The trial of Pokey Barnes, charged with the murder of Mrs. Pollard, was brought to an abrupt conclusion this morning by the entering of a nolle prosequi in the case. Judge Crute convened the court promptly at 10 o'clock. Commonwealth's Attorney Watking, of this county, immediately asked Judge Crute to enter a nolle prosequi on the ground that the commonwealth had utterly failed in proving its case and that he had reached this conclusion after deliberation.

Hernzy, and a lamily row ensued. Culp fixed at his son, Edward, a young man of 21 years, the ball striking him in the forehead.

As he fell on his knees the boy managed to shoot his father through the left shoulder. The wife received a shot from the pistol in the hands of her husband. The son is dead, and the wife cannot live. Culp is under arrest.

WHERE HAS THE MONEY GONE?

Disbursing Officer of the State Department Said to be Short \$130,000.

WASHINGTON, May 5—It is reported that the expert accountant employed by the Secretary of State, has found at the court and the forehead.

Attorney Mann, for the prosecution, stated he appreciated Judge Watkins' position, but he himself believed the prisoner guilty. Judge Crute promptly granted the motion. The jury was then discharged, thus ending one of the most famous trials ever held in Virginia. ginia.

Considerable dissatisfaction with the outcome of the case is expressed. Soon after the dismissal of Pokey Barnes, Captain Guigon, counsel for Mary Abernathy, convicted of complicity in the same murder, made a motion to set acide the verdict in her case, filing affidavits from four citizens, who stated that the jury had been illegally secured on several occasions.

Judge Crute overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of the Commonwealth against Mary Abernathy. The case will now go to the court of appeals. Pokey Barnes remained in jail until a few minutes before the 4 o'clock train. Several hundred negroes followed her to the depot and gave her quite an ovation. She will make her determined in the case of the definition will be paid to the letter.

uite an ova-She will make her future home in Richmond.

Virginia Knights of Pythias.

DANVILLE, Va., May 5.—The eleventh annual session of the grand lodge of Virginia Knights of Pythias commenced here to-night. To-night's session was called to order by Grand Chancellor W. E. Garrett, of Leesburg. The session was brief and adjourned at 10 o'clock to attend a grand banquet tendered by the local lodges in Danville in honor of the grand lodge. grand lodge.

Gettysburg National Park. WASHINGTON, May 5—Representative Bankhead, of Alabama, to-day introduced a bill directing the Secretary of War to proceed without delay to procure lands to complete Gettysburg National Park. Six hundred thousand dollars is appropriated for this purpose.

NORFOLK, Va., May 5.—A head-end collision occurred on the Norfolk and Carolina railway near Tunis, N. C., to-day between two freight trains. One engineer and several train hands were injured, and traffic was delayed for some hands.

The Newport News Strike. NORFOLK, Va., May 5.—It was re-ported that only 125 men went to work at the Newport News ship yard under the clock system this morning.

Allegheny County Convention. RICHMOND, Va., May 5.—Allegheny county elected delegates to the State Democratic convention. They were not instructed.

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A Record.

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Baseball news on eighth page.

TERRIBLE GASOLINE EXPLOSION

Two Women and Two Children Fatally Burned at Brooklyn.

The Explosion Occurred in a Tenement House From the Fire in a Stove in Mrs. Cohen's Apartments-Her Clothing Ignited and in Assisting Her Mrs. Pasterne's Dress Also Caught Fire.

New York, May 5 .- As the result of an explosion of a gasoline stove in a Brooklyn tenement horse to-day two women and two children were so badly burned that they died soon afterwards. Two other children were also seriously burned. The dead: Mrs. Rebecca Cohen, 234 Johnson street : Carl Cohen, sged two years; Solomon Cohen, aged 3 years; Mrs. Pasterne, 234 Johnson street. Solomon and Rosie Pasterne, aged eight months and nineteen months,

aged eight months and nineteen months, were seriously burned.

The explosion occurred in Mrs. Cohen's apartments while she was standing at the stove and the burning fluid ignited her clothing, quickly enveloping her in flames. The terrified woman ran shrieking into the apartments of Mrs. Pasterne, across the hallway, and in the latter's attempt to release the suffering woman, her clothing was set on fire.

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Then both women ran into the hall-way where they were found by the firemen, who carried them to the street. They died a few minutes later. The clothing of Mrs. Cohen's cuildren also ignited from the explosion. They were so terribly burned about the body and limbs that they died soon after being removed to the hospital.

Isaac Kusham, who was passing the house at the time the fire broke out, ran upstairs and attempted to put out the fiames, when a second explosion cocurred and he was struck on the head by some substance which cut his scalp open. He was able to go home after his wounds were dressed.

A FEARFUL CRIME.

A Father Kills His Son, Wounds His Wife and is Himself Wounded.

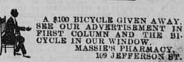
Wife and is Himself Wounded.

HINTON, W. Va., May 5.—"Dad"
Culp, a butcher at Ronceverte, W. Va.,
shot and fatally wounded his wife and
son last night, and in turn was shot
himself. Culp went home in a drunken
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Disbursing Officer of the State Department Said to be Short \$130,000.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—It is reported that the expert accountant employed by the Secretary of State, has found a shortage of \$127,000 in the trust funds account of F. J. Keickhofer, until recently the disbursing officer of the State Department.



The Administration Endorsed. The Administration Endorsed.
MARLSORO, Mass., May 5.—At the
Fourth Congressional district Democratic convention to elect delegates to
the national convention resolutions were
adopted endorsing the financial policy
of President Cleveland and the candidacy of ex-Governor William E. Russell for the Presidential nomination.

Mr. Tucker Serenaded. Mr. Tucker Serenaded.

LEXINGTON, Va., May 5 — The students of Washington and Lee University tendered Hon. J Randolph Tucker, dean of the law school, father of Hon. Harry St. George Tucker, Congressman from this district, a serenade to-night in celebration of the scating of Hon. Harry St. George Tucker by the House of Representatives.

sentatives.

The Nitrate King Dead. London, May 5.—Colonel North, the so-called nitrate king and noted sportsman, while presiding at a meeting of the Nitrate company's officers at the Woolpack buildings to-day, fainted in his chair and expired at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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